TENER THINKS PUBLIC IS FOR ORGANIZATION

National League President Issues Statement Relative to War Waged by the Federal League-Belives New League Should Draw From New Crop of Players Developed Last Year,

Cincinnati, O., January 7 .- President ing legislation that was brought up at

"Baseball to-day owes its popularity all clubs who have signed or who will sign players to old contracts."

ys the statement. "Such organization," avs the statement. alone has developed and will pree and perpetuate the game to the
he American people. Nevertheless,
nized baseball is being attacked
ay by those, and those only, who
te to reap commercial benefits

"To-day, however, finds baseball more completely and thoroughly organized than ever, and therefore better able to Withstand and combat the attacks that are being made upon it. The Federal League does not base its attacks upon an allegation that the public has, not duce players to break their contracts and seeks to excuse and justify its conduct upon two legal points, namely with the alleged illegality of the 'reserve clause in the players' contracts and the general statement that organized baseball constitutes a trust. I mean by this that the Federal in the property of the pro and the general statement that organized baseball constitutes a trust. I mean by this that the Federal League has officially announced that it will test the reserve clause in the courts, and failing to justify its contention of ellegality it will then seek to have longarized baseball investigated and failing the first seek to have longarized baseball investigated and failing the first first seek to have longarized baseball investigated and failing the first first first seek to have longarized baseball investigated and failing the first first seek to have longarized baseball investigated and first seek season. From present indications Virginia should turn out the best basekthail team in years. Coach Lannigan expressed himself as being lightly gratified at the fact that over thirty mean have reported daily since Christmas. And that many of them are already showing literature for the first season.

mobile opinion will count far more right this movement and its preright the squad through the squad was given a practice
from with the Charlottesville High School, and its sending the squad was given a practice
game with the Charlottesville High School,
and the first regular scheduled game will
take place with Jefferson School to morrow
right.

On account of the heavy schedule "Pop"

"In point of fact, it is well known that the legality of the present form f contract between the legale and layers was attacked, but its validity law and equity was sustained by the Supreme Court in Pennsylvania in the Lajote case. With respect to the delegation that either the National or American League, or both of them, as sarties to the national agreement, are llegal combinations or trusts to the national agreement, are

Cincinnati, O., January 7.—President John K. Tener, of the National League, at a meeting of the directors of that long and the last meeting of the National Association here to day issued a state ment in which he prophesied that public opinion would be on the side of organized baseball in case a war were waged by the Federal League.

Pointing out that the Federal League attacks upon organized baseball have been confined to two points, one that the reserve clause was invalid, and the ether that the parties to the national Agreement are members of a trust. President Tener voiced his opinion that meither charge could be considered seriously.

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Walter A. Williams, Jr., to Assist in Managing Virginia's Foot-

and failing to justify its contention of silegality it will then seek to have lorganized baseball investigated and illissolved as a trust.

"But such a threatened war on organized baseball begun by promoters simply for financial gain, and based upon broken contracts of players, takes no heed or account of the sport-loving no heed or account of the sport-loving public, or the real welfare of our management of the sport-loving public, or the real welfare of our management of the sport-loving public, or the real welfare of our management of the sport-loving public, or the real welfare of our management of the sport-loving public, and the sport-loving public public, and the sport-loving public pu or the real welfare of our na-game; and I believe the disap-of such a war at the bar of confinion will count far more ing the squad through two practices a der-

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President of National Basebull League, prophesies public opinion will be ou the side of organized baseball in the

BING WINS RACE

in superb condition. Favorites and second choices accounted for a majority of the races. In a hair-raising three-year-olds, six furlongs—Old Ben, second choices accounted for a majority of the races. In a hair-raising finish Brookfield scored over Zim and Colonel Marchmont in the Tabasco handicap at seven furlongs, the feature of an excellent card. Zim, backed from four down to two, ran a splendid race, and only succumbed to the winner in the last few strides. In the Tottec handicap, the winner turned up in Bing, which came from the rear in the final eighth and got up in time to take the purse from Milton Robice by a neck. Superb was third by a nose, Star Berta won the opening race in a sharp drive from Vava, a long shot, while the second race proved easy for Wheeler. Pay Streak was slightly best in the fifth. Belle of Hyrn Mawr won the sixth. Results:

Eight race—six furlongs—Star Berta.

Fifth race—Congress Handicap, the three-year-olds six furlongs—Old Ben, in three-year-olds, six furlongs—Old Ben,

atthough the public and with our policy of fair dealting with our players and with the public, and we have no doubt in so doing our actions will meet with general approbation.

The proposed meeting of the National Basebail Commission did not take place to day, partly owing to the lengthy meeting of the National League directors, and because Presidence and the leave on an early afternoon train.

The commission from the National Leave on the National Leave in the public from the National Responsition of professional basebail leagues had hoped to take up several matters with the commission concerns.

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Surragist, Chefe Ben and John D. Wakefield ran.
Sixth race—Mile—Belle of Bryn Mawr, 110 (Gross), 7 to 1, 2 to 1 and 1 to 5, first; Sigurd, 196 (McDonald), 5 to 2, 6 to 5 and 1 to 2, second; Mary 5 to 2, 6 to 5 and 1 to 2, second; Mary Emity, 101 (Feeny), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and GOLF RESULTS ON PINEMURST LINKS 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:38 2-5. The Monk, Freewill, Cool, Butter Ball also

GUNBOAT SMITH MAY MEET JACK JOHNSON

San Francisco, Cai., January 7.—A. cable-gram has been sent to Jack Johnson by pro-moters here offering him a fight with Gon-boat Smith for the heavyweight champion-ship of the world, the bout to be held at Tin Juana, in Mexico, lower Colifornia, on ith, It is said, is willing to bind the

AMUSEMENTS.

Academy—Motion picture called "Traffic in Souls," mathree and night, Bijon—Grayce Scott Company, In "The Bishop's Carriage," matinec and night.
Lyric—Keith Vaudeville, matinee and night.
Empire—Vaudeville.

NATIONALS DRAWING WELL IN AUSTRALIA

Melbourne, Australia, January 7.—Eight theusand interested spectators to-day saw the New York National League baseball team decistery defeat a Victoria nine in a six-inning game. The locals were outclassed, the geore being 18 to 9.

In a second game of nine innings, the New York team beat the Chicago nine 12 to 8.

Lewis Is National Amsteur Shooter. w York, January 7.—The records of mor-200 amateurs and professional trap-ters are included in the official average. senson of 1913 as announced to-day Interstate Association for Encourage eint of Trapshooting.

Bert Lowis, national amateur champion, ands the army of amateur shooters with an verage of 5557, having broken 5,811 targets at of 6,999 shot at during 1913. High average mong the professionals is held by W. H. eer. of Guthrie, Okia, with a record of 196 largets out of 3,559 shots, an average (5,53).

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frand Junction. Tenn., January 7.—Comche Frank, pointer, owned by U. R.
shle, of Hope, lind, and handled by J. M.
ent, of Hickory Valley; Tenn., to-day won
e all-age stake of the United States Field
rial Club in close race over the pointer John
rector, the entry of A. L. Curtis, of Belin, Tex., and handled by C. H. Babeock,
hree Notch. Ala. John Proctor was placed
scond. Twenty-five does started.
The final race between the two pointers
as a hip and tuck battle for an hour and
hree-quarters.

GROSVENOR AGAIN WINS BIG RACE

First Three Horses Finish as They Did Last Year in Same Race and in Same Time.

Charleston, S. C., January 7.—History repeated itsels with the third running of the Battery Park selling stakes this afternoon for Grosvener, Tarts and Sherwood, finished in the order named just as they had done in the identical stake last year. Groevenor was again one of the outsiders in the speculation. Tarts was the choice, and Sherwood cut out the running only to falter at the end. Similarly, Gros venor came from behind to win, and Tarts was always second or better Even Father Time seemed to be in the coincidence, for the time of race, 1:15 1-5, was the same to the nith of a second as 1913 Battery stake. Nothing like this probably will ever occur on the turf again. The other five races were also interesting. First race-four-year-olds and up.

selling five and a half furlongs—Mama Johnson, 192 (Sumter), 7 to 1, 2 to 1, 6 to 5, first; Clem Beachey, 112 (C. Byrne), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 8 to 5, second; Kiva 102 (J. McTaggart), even 1 to 2, 1 to 4, third. Time 1:10 2-5. Willis, Tony W. Lord Ladas, Skeets, Dustpan, Silieic, Surpass, Bobby Cook, Elfall, Cherry Seed, Miss Primity, Pish Tush Second race-four-year-olds and up

selling, six and a half furlongs; Oak-Re all 3 to 5, 1 to 4, out, arst: Flying Yankee, 112 (Rightmire) 6 to 1, 7 to 5, 3 to 5, second; Votes, 107 (Doyle), 12 to, 1, 3 to 1, 6 to 5. third. Time, 1:10. Black Chlef, Chemulpo, Hugh Gray, Golden Prince, High Light also ran.

Third race-four-year-olds and up, selling, six and a half furlongs-Cop-pertown, 138 (F. Murphy), 6 to 5. 1 to 2. out. first: Venta Strome, 105 (McCahey), 12 to 1, 7 to 2, 6 to 5, second; Toddling, 110 (W. Ward), 3 to 1, 4 to 3, 7 to 20, third. Time, 1:22 3-5. Stentor, Loan Shark, Camel, Sager,

terizes the Racing on

Juarez Track.

Juarez, Mexico, January 7.—Close inishes characterized the racing here this afternoon. The weather was of the June variety, while the track was a superb condition. Favorites and second choices necessity.

also ran.

Third race—Toltee handicap, six furlongs—Bing, 110 (Carter), 4 to 1, 6 to
5, and 1 to 2, first; Milton Roblec, 100
(Gross), 5 to 1, 6 to 5, and 1 to 2, second; Superl, 95 (McDonald), 10 to 1,
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Tampa, Fla., January 7.-Tommy Leach, outfielder of the Chicago Nationals, who is wintering here, denied to-day that he had been offered the managership of the Pittsburgh Federal League Club.

Pinehurst, N. C., January 7.—To-day's first round of match play in the annual midwinter golf tournament narrowed the field of contestants to the following players; Stayvesant Leroy, Newport; C. L. Becker, Woodland, Mass.; Dr. C. H. Gardner, Rhode Island Country Club; Maurice Ristey, Atlantic City; Dr. Theodore Senseman, Atlantic City; W. Booth, Jr., Onwentsia, Ill., Harold Slater, Fox Hills, R. L. and George C. Dutton, Belmont, Mass.

The second round will be played off to-morrow.

Routine business only was disposed of last night at the monthly meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners.

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Wake Forest Basketball Team Competition Is Keen, and Ex- Joseph Chamberlain, Venerable Has Schedule of Games With Strong Fives.

Wake Forest, N. C., January 7.-Manager Cuthrell, of the basebtball team, has an-nounced the following schedule for the ap-proaching season: January 13-South Carolina at home. January 16-Elon at home. January 22-Georgia at home.

Manager Rowsey, of the Palace Alleys, as received several letters from Secretary immile Fleins, of the Washington City owling Association, stating that J. W. News Ferry; second, John Boyd, Alter ond on January Is to soil of the Maskington City of the Association, will be in Rich.

Letters have been received from Franck Southerly of the Palace Allays in Rosnoke, but the Will bring a pretty strong delegation from that city, possibly three five-men teams, which wil lcompete in the singles and doubles.

local boys ought to make up twenty teams among the different alleys in a A, E and C

The entry fee in the respective classes will be \$1 for each event; five-man teams, \$5 each team; two-man teams, \$5 each team; two-man teams, \$2 each team; individuals, \$1 each; individuals, all events, \$2.60. The intercity tournament, which will be heid here some time in February between Richmond, Washington -ac dattmore bowlers, will be the largest and best of its kind ever pulled off on old Virginia alleys.

Palace Duckpin League. The game last night between The Times.

Dispatch and Richmond Lunch teams were postponed until a later date.

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Chesapeake and Ohio, Woman Seeks Place on Bench,

Topeka, Kan., January 7.-Mrs. 1, S. Sheldon, of Lawrence, has announced her candidacy for associate justice of the Supreme Court of Kansas on the nonpartisan judiciary ballot. She has practiced law in Topeka and Lawrence for twenty years, and is the first woman to seek a place on the bench in

Negro Goes to Penitentiary. Convicted on a charge of stealing a cash drawer, containing \$220, Frank Gray, colored, was sentenced to two years in the State Penitentiary yesterday in Henrico Circuit Court. The negro snatched the drawer from a booth operated by the Purity Ice Cream Corporation in the administration building at the Fair Grounds last October. He was caught after a thrilling chase.

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hibits Best in History of

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Lynchburg, Va., January 7.—The Joseph Chamberlain, the venerable sixth annual convention of the Virginia British statesman, has decided to retire Corn Growers' Association adjourned

Ten cars white corn-Northern district-first, H. M. Luttrell, Delaplane; second, B. A. Rucker, Delaplane; third, W. L. Nauser, Haymarket. Southwest district—first, J. S. Pech-in, Buchanan; second W. F. Coyner,

and in, Buchausn; second W. F. Coyner, Waynesboro; third, W. M. Kirkpatrick, nicke, News Ferry; second, G. S. Nickels, Bedford City; third, A. H. Moore,

trell, Delaplane. Southwest-W. F. Coyner, Waynes-

Southeast-first, Henry Manicke, News Ferry. Ten ears popcorn, any variety-first.

William Gerow Christian, Moseley Sweepstakes-best ten ears of corn at the show; prize, silver cup donated by Royster Guano Co., of Norfolk, to be won three times—H. M. Luttrell, of Delaplane, who has now won the cup

Best single car of corn at the show prize, silver cup donated by T. W. Wood & Sons Seed Company, of Richmond, won by Henry Manicke, of News Ferry.

CIRCUIT COURT IN WISE
HAS LARGE ATTENDANCE

Wise, Va., January 7.—Circuit Court opened Monday with a large attendance from all parts of the county, in spite of the six inches of snow and cold weather. Judge Skeen presided. The grand jury and county Board of Supervisors were also in session and

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19 12 .710 charge of unlawful manufacture of unlawful manufacture of whiskey. Nash was defended by R. P.

19 29 .440 Bruce and W. H. Bond, and prosecuted by R. P.

kins, a young white man twenty-seven and came to their home near here.

23 515 2.254 vears old, has been tried once and sentened to eighteen years in the peninger received from the isolated region. tal. tentiary. He served seven months be-tore his lawyers secured a new trial. received from the isolated region, from which no mails have reached here.

Statesman, to Quit the British Parliament.

Birmingham, England, January 7 .--

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February 25—Trinity at home.

February 14—North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

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M. Lutterell, Delaplane; secretary and treasurer, Lyman Carrier, Blacksburg; directors, J. R. K. Bell, Pulaski; C. B.
Kizer, Bridgewater; J. M. Gish, Roanoke; B. D. Adams, Red Oak; Bayard Rucker, Delaplane; C. U. Gravatt, Port Royal; George S. Nickels, Bedford City; Albert Bellwood, South Richmond; Lyman Carrier, Blacksburg, and W. P.
Moore, Bedford.

The awards for the corn classes at exhibit of the corn growers were completed early this afternoon, the judges having worked all the foremoon to decide the winners. The competition was reported to be keen, the character of the exhibit being the best ever seen at one of these conventions. The prize-winners were:

our city and the constituency of West Birmingham need the services of a younger man, who will take an active part in the parliamentary struggle and help you to maintain the supremacy of the Unionist cause in Birmingham." Mr. Chamberlain leaves Highbury, his

Southwest district—first, B. A. Rucker,
Northern district—first district Southwest—first, Amos Showalter, Waynesboro; second, W. F. Coyner, Southeast—first, August Manicke, News Ferry; second, John Boyd, Alton, Eest single ear, either white or yellow:

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cott, only daughter of the late W. C. Endicott, Secretary of War during President Cleveland's administration. Mr. Chamberlain was the chief commissioner for the settlement of the North American fisheries dispute in

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